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Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) A system for performing intraluminal lung volume reduction, said system comprising:

an isolation/access catheter having a proximal end, a distal end, an occlusion element near the distal end, and at least one lumen extending therethrough;

a sealing catheter having a proximal end, a distal end, and a receptacle therein[[,]]; and

a closure element releasably carried in the receptacle of the sealing catheter; wherein the sealing catheter may be introduced through the lumen of the isolation/access catheter and the closure element may be deployed from the receptacle of the sealing catheter such that the closure element remains in the lung when the sealing catheter is removed.

- 2. (Previously Presented) A system as in claim 1, wherein the closure element comprises a plug.
- 3. (original) A system as in claim 1, wherein the isolation/access catheter includes at least two lumens extending therethrough.
- 4. (Previously Presented) A system as in claim 3, wherein the isolation/access catheter further includes a fiber optic scope and a light source disposed to permit forward viewing.

Claims 5-18. (cancelled)

19. (Previously Presented) A system as in claim 2, wherein the plug is swellable.

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20. (New) A system for performing intraluminal lung volume reduction, said system comprising:

an isolation/access catheter having a proximal end, a distal end, and at least one lumen extending therethrough;

a sealing catheter having a proximal end, a distal end, and a receptacle therein; and

a closure element releasably carried in the receptacle of the sealing catheter;

wherein the sealing catheter may be introduced through the lumen of the isolation/access catheter and the closure element may be deployed from the receptacle of the sealing catheter such that the closure element remains in the lung when the sealing catheter is removed.